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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$3,702 to account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-67933-1/RFT/RMS/BCT) in payment of the outstanding filing fees and late surcharge for completing the above-referenced application. It is believed that no other fees are due at this time. If the Commissioner determines otherwise, he authorized to charge any additional fees, including any extension fees, which may be required to account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-67933-1/RFT/RMS/BCT). A copy of this sheet is enclosed herewith for accounting purposes.

It is believed that submission of the above serves to fully comply with the requirements of the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application.

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